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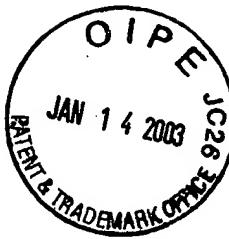
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Gary Jorgensen et al.

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Title: A DURABLE CORROSION AND  
ULTRAVIOLET-RESISTANT SILVER MIRROR )



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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 7, 2002, which rejected the claims in the above-identified patent application, applicants respectfully request reconsideration based upon the amendments hereinafter set forth.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

An abstract is submitted herewith on a separate page consistent with the requirements of 37 CFR §1.72(b).

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-11 without prejudice.

Please add new claims 12-22 as follows:

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12. In a silver mirror, comprising a polymeric substrate, a specular-reflective silver layer overlying and bonded to said substrate, and a protective layer of a transparent film-forming polymer overlying and bonded to an exposed surface of said silver layer, the improvement of a

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